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—OUR LINE OF—

### Holiday - Ties,

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A FULL LINE OF

## Perfumes and Holiday Specialties.

Our Holiday and Gift Book Line is very large and prices are low. Respectfully,

PERKINS & ELLIS.

## CHRISTMAS

## P-R-E-S-E-N-T-S.

—A NEW LOT OF—

## Walking Canes

—AND—

## Silk Umbrellas

—Just received at—

## STRATTON'S.

### THE ART OF GIVING.

Suggestions Along That Line Worth Reading.

If You Have a Surplus of Money And a Disposition To Spend It You May Become an Angel of Light.

The good people of Clarksville—the ladies especially—will next week spend hundreds of dollars for Christmas presents. The work has already begun, to a certain extent, but the bulk of the presents will be bought next week. Just about this time every year newspaper writers begin telling the people what kind of presents to buy. The best article along this line that has fallen under our eye is the following from the New York Sun:

"Don't be too particular about giving useful Christmas presents, notwithstanding that hosts of practical individuals, especially those of a philanthropic turn of mind, are forever advising just to the contrary. Of course where extreme poverty is in question, when the very necessities of life are lacking, a ton of coal or a basket of provisions is doubtless a more suitable gift than would be a silken table cover or an embroidered scarf; but barring such extreme cases the greatest degree of benefit and happiness experienced by the exchange of gifts at the season of 'good to men' does not, as a rule, result from those of a strictly useful nature. After all, men and women are only boys and girls grown tall; and, pray, what healthy boy or girl would prefer a pair of boots to a toy pistol or a pair of skates, a doll or box of candy, as his or her annual contribution from Santa Claus?"

"In a poem are these lines:

"And I am tired—so tired of duty,  
So tired of all my tired hands and feet;  
I yearn, I faint for some life's free beauty,  
Its loose beads with no straight string running through."

"Aye, laugh if you will at my crude speech,  
But women sometimes need of such a creed—  
Die for the small joys held beyond their reach,  
And the assurance they have all they need."

"Women oftentimes want a great many things they don't actually need—things, however, which cannot be possessed among the extravagances; and without question one may be just as true a philanthropist by catering occasionally to these as by ministering to the more prosaic needs of humanity."

"A box of very handsome, fashionable note paper, given to one who must content herself the year round with a cheap quality, is known to have given an amount of happiness entirely disproportionate to the amount expended, and the sweet little mother of a large family, for which the husband and father has all he can do to provide the very plainest food and raiment, went into almost childish ecstasies not long ago on the receipt of a Christmas present of a set of table candles topped with dainty satin shades! A barrel of flour or bits for the children were more needed, perhaps, but the little woman longed—oh, so much for just such a beautiful suggestion of comfort and prosperity. 'You have no idea,' said she, 'the pleasure it gives me occasionally to light up my candles at supper time. I can almost persuade myself I am giving a fashionable tea, and after the manner of Dickens' jillbird, who cut up his allowance of prison bread into omelets, salads, beefsteaks, etc., as his fancy dictated. I try and make my bread and butter and apple sauce represent a menu suitable for the occasion.'"

"Of course there are exceptions to all rules, but take it all in all it is the lack of ornament in their homes and wardrobes and of pleasant diversion in their lives, which, quite as often as the lack of the strictly useful, prematurely ages and drives to despondency so many women."

"The Christmas tide affords to every one with a surplus of money and the disposition to spend it an unequalled opportunity to become a veritable angel of light to some one. The pity of it is that for lack of earnest, intelligent thought, such piles of money should be spent each year so indiscriminately and with so little care as to results."

In a recent letter to the manufacturers, Mr. W. A. Baldrige, Millersville, Illinois, says: "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy gives the best satisfaction of any cough medicine I handle, and as a seller, leads all other preparations in this market. I recommend it because it is the best medicine I ever handled for coughs, colds and croup." For sale by Owen & Moore, Druggists.

For Rent.

The store-house No. 86 Franklin street, now occupied by Fox & Smith. Possession given January 1st. For terms, etc., call on Blech Bros. d15, d&w

Some remarkable cures of deafness are recorded of Dr. Thomas's Electric Oil. Never fails to cure earache. Sold by Tudhope Drug Co.

### AN OLD CERTIFICATE.

A Relic dug Up By the Guthrie Vidette Which is Interesting.

The Guthrie Vidette publishes an old registration certificate, given in 1869, by Thos. F. Pettus, Commissioner of Registration for Montgomery county, to Thos. Bryan. The certificate reads as follows:

"Be it remembered, That Thos. Bryan, being a male inhabitant of the State of Tennessee, of the age of twenty-one years, a citizen of the United States, and a resident of said county for six months now last past, and having proved before me, by two competent witnesses, who are known to me to have been at all times unconditional Union men, who are personally acquainted with the said Thos. Bryan, that they verily believe that he has never been guilty of any of the disqualifications specified in the Act of February 25, 1867, is duly registered as a voter of said county and entitled to exercise the privilege of the Elective Franchise."

It will be observed that Mr. Bryan had to produce two "unconditional Union men" to prove that he had not given aid and comfort to the Confederates, or been in any way disloyal to the Federal government as provided by the Act of July 25 1867, before he was allowed to exercise the Elective Franchise.

### The Value of Money.

Men of unlimited means hardly appreciate the value of just one dollar, but with the poor every dollar means so much toil and so much effort. It is a comfort to know that the poverty stricken invalid can derive so much good from so little expenditure, when they invest their dollars in B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm).

W. C. McGauhey, Webb City, Arkansas, writes: "B. B. B. has done me more good and for less money than any other blood purifier I ever used. I owe the comfort of my life to it."

A. P. McDonald, Atlanta, Ga., writes: "I had a running ulcer on my leg. Several doctors failed to do it good. Three bottles of B. B. B. effected a cure. B. B. B. also cured my brother of a running sore."

David Thurman, Atlanta, Ga., says: "I was a constant sufferer for many years with scrofula and eczema. A few bottles of B. B. B. entirely cured me."

John M. Davis, Tyler, Texas, writes: "I was subject a number of years to spells of inflammatory rheumatism, which six bottles of B. B. B. thank heaven, has entirely cured. I have not felt the slightest pain since." Sold by Owen & Moore.

### LARGEST BUTONE IN AMERICA.

St. Joseph's Catholic Church to be Dedicated at New Orleans To-morrow.

Special to the Leaf-Chronicle.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 17.—At three o'clock to-morrow afternoon the new St. Joseph's Catholic church, next to the Cathedral in New York the largest structure of its kind in America, will be formally dedicated. It is expected that his eminence, Cardinal Gibbons, will be present and will preach. There will also be present Archbishop Janssens, of New Orleans; Elder, of Cincinnati and Feehan, of Chicago. Of bishops there will be in attendance Heslin, of Natchez; O'Sullivan, of Mobile and Fitzgerald, of Little Rock, and in addition to the above the clergy of the city have been invited and will participate. A grand procession will be formed at the old church, on Tulene avenue, between Villere and Howard on the evening of the 18th of December, in which over 5,000 persons will join, and of which over 1,500 will be school children of the parish. Divine service will be held for the first time in the new church the following Sunday, which will be Christmas Day, and the old church will thereafter be abandoned.

Do you wish to know the quickest way to cure a cold? We will tell you. To cure a cold quickly, it must be treated before the cold has become settled in the system. The first symptoms are a dry, loud cough and sneezing. The cough is soon followed by watery expectoration, and the sneezing by a profuse watery discharge from the nose. In severe cases there is a thin white coating on the tongue. What to do: It is only necessary to take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in double doses every hour. That will greatly lessen the severity of the cold and in many cases will effectually counteract it, and cure what would have been a severe cold within one or two days' time. Try it and be convinced. 50 cent bottles for sale by Owen & Moore, druggists.

Don't fail to see the bargain counter at Owen & Moore's. All kinds of notions for presents at greatly reduced prices. Look at the prices before buying elsewhere. Call early to get the pick. dec14t, w.t.s.

A fine hat or a pair of fine shoes Christmas morning would take the business wrinkles out of that husband's forehead. A big assortment at Stratton's. dec12

### THE FIGHT ENDED.

But the Location is a Matter of Mere Conjecture.

Mr. McLean Arrives at a Conclusion and Leaves—The Secret Locked Up With Him.

The postoffice matter is settled, but the LEAF-CHRONICLE does not know to a certainty where the building will go; it has an idea, however. Mr. McLean shook hands with the friends he had made while in Clarksville last night and left this morning for Washington City. He told nobody what conclusion he had reached, but he has decided on a lot. He will lay his selection before the sub-treasury department Monday. On Tuesday it will go to the higher officials, and on Wednesday it will be given to the associated press. So, on Thursday of next week, the people of Clarksville should know where this building goes.

It is the general opinion that Postmaster R. C. Wilcox is the only man in Clarksville who knows where the building will go. He was told on the streets this morning that he had to let it out or be whitecapped. He swore by all he held sacred that he did not know, but at last he made a guess. "I will guess," said he, "that it will go either on the Eclipse stable lot, at the corner of Fifth and Franklin or on the Moore property. If I were compelled to knock out one of these lots I would dispose of Eclipse stable lot first, leaving it then between the Moore property and the corner of Fifth and Franklin."

"Well, Mr. Wilcox if you were called on to guess between these two which would you say?"

"I would guess that the Moore property had it."

While Mr. Wilcox does not know to a certainty where the building will go, he should at least be a very good guesser. He said, with a wicked smile, this morning that the Square was not in it. This, however, may be all guess work too, for Mr. McLean looked at several lots on the Square a long time yesterday and seemed to like the location well and the fine view of the rolling Cumberland and the towering hills beyond seemed to paralyze him. Looking just a little to the north he saw Providence looming up in the dim distance, and turning to the South he beheld a long freight train coming in across the trestle.

The beautiful scenery held him there a long time, but with a sigh he finally walked away. There is no doubt that he thinks, away down in his heart, that the Square is the place for the building.

Before Mr. McLean left he said that the people of Clarksville had treated him with the greatest courtesy. He was deeply impressed by his treatment and says he would not mind being the architect who is to superintend the work of building the postoffice.

This fight went off well, and if there is any hard feeling over the result the LEAF-CHRONICLE has not heard of it.

Watch the LEAF-CHRONICLE for the news next week.

### Buckley's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Owen & Moore.

Why not surprise your husband with a handsome silk umbrella on Christmas morning? A large assortment, embracing new designs in handles, at

STRATTON'S.

Tired of Life.

Wm. Jones, a well known mechanic of Nashville, committed suicide yesterday by taking morphine.

## >Elder's Opera House!<

.. ONE NIGHT ONLY. ..

## MONDAY - DEC. 19 -

ONLY A FEW MORE DAYS TO WAIT

(To see the Versatile Character Comedian.)

## DANIEL A. KELLY

(In his sensational melo-drama, the)

## Shadow Detective

With all its great Railroad and Telegraphic effects, as produced in Louisville last week and in Nashville this week.

## GREAT RAILROAD SENSATION

SHOWING THE FULL WORKINGS OF THE BLOCK SIGNAL SYSTEM.

The Italian Slum Scene in Crosby St.

The Beautiful Moonlight Snow Scene.

The Illuminated Cathedral Scene.

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PRICES : : 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c.

### "The Shadow Detective."

The sensational melo-drama, "The Shadow Detective," with the versatile character comedian, Daniel A. Kelly, in the title role, will be the attraction at Elder's Opera House.

The role is an old one, and he is the popular idealization of the character, just as Mayo is of Davy Crockett, or O'Neill is of Monte Cristo, for he has been identified with the part for the last seven years. But this season it has been entirely rewritten; has been fitted out with new scenery, and it is said to be a perfect picture of different phases of New York life.

The great railroad scene is especially featured, for two locomotives running at the speed of fifty miles an hour must cross the stage from opposite directions on the same track, and a fearful calamity is averted by the swift turning of the switch.

The perfect working of the block signal system is fully illustrated; there is a picturesque moonlight snow scene, one in the squalid Five Points district, in New York, and a massive illuminated cathedral scene with twenty church choir singers. The play has a thrilling plot, and is enlivened by a whirlwind comedy.

The story in the "Shadow Detective" is not a fictitious story, but a true one, and nearly all the characters are alive to-day. A great sensation was created in New York in 1889 by the disappearance of a well known lady. Every effort was made to discover her whereabouts.

Detectives were enlisted, and on the secret service force was a keen, silent man, known by his associates as "Shadow Detective." His services were secured, and with his ingenuity and skill he set to work. His search for the lady in high and low life, and through the Italian dens, assuming all manner of disguises, escaping death almost by miracle, and eventually rescuing the lady, form one of the most thrilling chapters in the annals of crime and the foundation of this melo-drama.

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